

# On $(p, q)$ -analogue of Bernstein Operators (Revised)

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## Abstract

In the present article, we have given a corrigendum to our paper “On  $(p, q)$ -analogue of Bernstein operators” published in Applied Mathematics and Computation 266 (2015) 874-882.

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## 1 Construction of Revised Operators

Mursaleen et. al [1] introduced  $(p, q)$ -analogue of Bernstein operators as

$$B_{n,p,q}(f; x) = \sum_{k=0}^n \begin{bmatrix} n \\ k \end{bmatrix}_{p,q} x^k \prod_{s=0}^{n-k-1} (p^s - q^s x) f\left(\frac{[k]_{p,q}}{[n]_{p,q}}\right), \quad x \in [0, 1]. \quad (1)$$

But  $B_{n,p,q}(1; x) \neq 1$  for all  $x \in [0, 1]$ . Hence, we are re-introducing our operators as follows:

$$B_{n,p,q}(f; x) = \frac{1}{p^{\frac{n(n-1)}{2}}} \sum_{k=0}^n \begin{bmatrix} n \\ k \end{bmatrix}_{p,q} p^{\frac{k(k-1)}{2}} x^k \prod_{s=0}^{n-k-1} (p^s - q^s x) f\left(\frac{[k]_{p,q}}{p^{k-n} [n]_{p,q}}\right), \quad x \in [0, 1]. \quad (2)$$

Note that for  $p = 1$ ,  $(p, q)$ -Bernstein operators given by (2) turn out to be  $q$ -Bernstein operators.

We have the following basic result:

**Lemma 1.** For  $x \in [0, 1]$ ,  $0 < q < p \leq 1$ , we have

- (i)  $B_{n,p,q}(1; x) = 1$ ;
- (ii)  $B_{n,p,q}(t; x) = x$ ;
- (iii)  $B_{n,p,q}(t^2; x) = \frac{p^{n-1}}{[n]_{p,q}} x + \frac{q[n-1]_{p,q}}{[n]_{p,q}} x^2$ .

**Proof.** (i)

$$B_{n,p,q}(1; x) = \frac{1}{p^{\frac{n(n-1)}{2}}} \sum_{k=0}^n \begin{bmatrix} n \\ k \end{bmatrix}_{p,q} p^{\frac{k(k-1)}{2}} x^k \prod_{s=0}^{n-k-1} (p^s - q^s x) = 1.$$

(ii)

$$\begin{aligned}
B_{n,p,q}(t; x) &= \frac{1}{p^{\frac{n(n-1)}{2}}} \sum_{k=0}^n \left[ \begin{matrix} n \\ k \end{matrix} \right]_{p,q} p^{\frac{k(k-1)}{2}} x^k \prod_{s=0}^{n-k-1} (p^s - q^s x) \frac{[k]_{p,q}}{p^{k-n} [n]_{p,q}} \\
&= \frac{1}{p^{\frac{n(n-3)}{2}}} \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \left[ \begin{matrix} n-1 \\ k \end{matrix} \right]_{p,q} p^{\frac{(k+1)(k-2)}{2}} x^{k+1} \prod_{s=0}^{n-k-2} (p^s - q^s x) \\
&= \frac{x}{p^{\frac{(n-1)(n-2)}{2}}} \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \left[ \begin{matrix} n-1 \\ k \end{matrix} \right]_{p,q} p^{\frac{k(k-1)}{2}} x^k \prod_{s=0}^{n-k-2} (p^s - q^s x) = x.
\end{aligned}$$

(iii)

$$\begin{aligned}
B_{n,p,q}(t^2; x) &= \frac{1}{p^{\frac{n(n-1)}{2}}} \sum_{k=0}^n \left[ \begin{matrix} n \\ k \end{matrix} \right]_{p,q} p^{\frac{k(k-1)}{2}} x^k \prod_{s=0}^{n-k-1} (p^s - q^s x) \frac{[k]_{p,q}^2}{p^{2k-2n} [n]_{p,q}^2} \\
&= \frac{1}{p^{\frac{n(n-5)}{2}}} \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \left[ \begin{matrix} n-1 \\ k \end{matrix} \right]_{p,q} p^{\frac{(k+1)(k-4)}{2}} x^{k+1} \prod_{s=0}^{n-k-2} (p^s - q^s x) \frac{[k+1]_{p,q}}{[n]_{p,q}} \\
&= \frac{1}{p^{\frac{n(n-5)}{2}} [n]_{p,q}} \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \left[ \begin{matrix} n-1 \\ k \end{matrix} \right]_{p,q} p^{\frac{(k+1)(k-4)}{2}} x^{k+1} \prod_{s=0}^{n-k-2} (p^s - q^s x) (p^k + q[k]_{p,q}) \\
&= \frac{1}{p^{\frac{n(n-5)}{2}} [n]_{p,q}} \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \left[ \begin{matrix} n-1 \\ k \end{matrix} \right]_{p,q} p^{\frac{k^2-k-4}{2}} x^{k+1} \prod_{s=0}^{n-k-2} (p^s - q^s x) \\
&\quad + \frac{q[n-1]_{p,q}}{p^{\frac{n(n-5)}{2}} [n]_{p,q}} \sum_{k=0}^{n-2} \left[ \begin{matrix} n-2 \\ k \end{matrix} \right]_{p,q} p^{\frac{(k+2)(k-3)}{2}} x^{k+2} \prod_{s=0}^{n-k-3} (p^s - q^s x) \\
&= \frac{p^{n-1} x}{[n]_{p,q} p^{\frac{(n-1)(n-2)}{2}}} \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \left[ \begin{matrix} n-1 \\ k \end{matrix} \right]_{p,q} p^{\frac{k(k-1)}{2}} x^k \prod_{s=0}^{n-k-2} (p^s - q^s x) \\
&\quad + \frac{q[n-1]_{p,q} x^2}{[n]_{p,q} p^{\frac{(n-2)(n-3)}{2}}} \sum_{k=0}^{n-2} \left[ \begin{matrix} n-2 \\ k \end{matrix} \right]_{p,q} p^{\frac{k(k-1)}{2}} x^k \prod_{s=0}^{n-k-3} (p^s - q^s x) \\
&= \frac{p^{n-1}}{[n]_{p,q}} x + \frac{q[n-1]_{p,q}}{[n]_{p,q}} x^2.
\end{aligned}$$

Now, we prove Korovkin's type approximation theorem.

**Theorem 1.** Let  $0 < q_n < p_n \leq 1$  such that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} p_n = 1$  and  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} q_n = 1$ . Then for each  $f \in C[0, 1]$ ,  $B_{n,p_n,q_n}(f; x)$  converges uniformly to  $f$  on  $[0, 1]$ .

**Proof.** By the Korovkin's Theorem it suffices to show that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|B_{n,p_n,q_n}(t^m; x) - x^m\|_{C[0,1]} = 0, \quad m = 0, 1, 2.$$

By Lemma 1(i)-(ii), it is clear that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|B_{n,p_n,q_n}(1; x) - 1\|_{C[0,1]} = 0;$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|B_{n,p_n,q_n}(t; x) - x\|_{C[0,1]} = 0.$$

Using  $q_n[n-1]_{p_n,q_n} = [n]_{p_n,q_n} - p_n^{n-1}$  and by Lemma 1 (iii), we have

$$\begin{aligned} |B_{n,p_n,q_n}(t^2; x) - x^2|_{C[0,1]} &= \left| \frac{p_n^{n-1}x}{[n]_{p_n,q_n}} + \left( \frac{q_n[n-1]_{p_n,q_n}}{[n]_{p_n,q_n}} - 1 \right) x^2 \right| \\ &\leq \frac{p_n^{n-1}}{[n]_{p_n,q_n}} x + \frac{p_n^{n-1}}{[n]_{p_n,q_n}} x^2. \end{aligned}$$

Taking maximum of both sides of the above inequality, we get

$$\|B_{n,p_n,q_n}(t^2; x) - x^2\|_{C[0,1]} \leq \frac{2p_n^{n-1}}{[n]_{p_n,q_n}}$$

which yields

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|B_{n,p_n,q_n}(t^2; x) - x^2\|_{C[0,1]} = 0.$$

Thus the proof is completed.

## 2 Example

With the help of Matlab, we show comparisons and some illustrative graphics for the convergence of operators (2) to the function  $f(x) = (x - \frac{1}{3})(x - \frac{1}{2})(x - \frac{3}{4})$  under different parameters.

From figure (1) we can observe that as the value the  $q$  increases,  $(p, q)$ -Bernstein operators given by (2) converges towards the function.

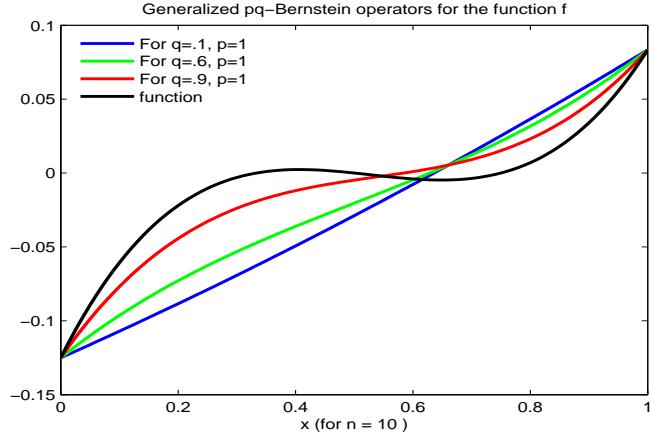


Figure 1:

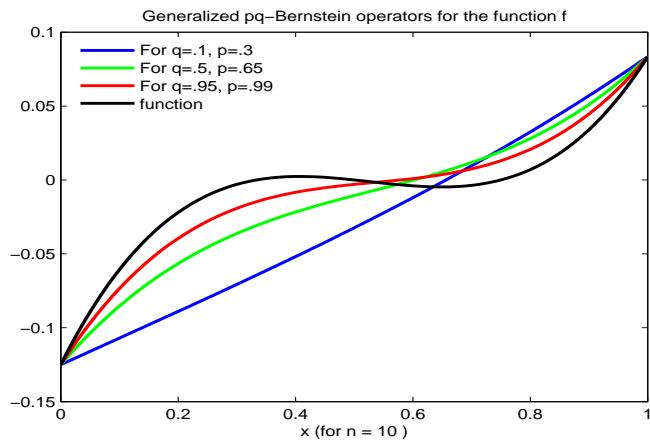


Figure 2:

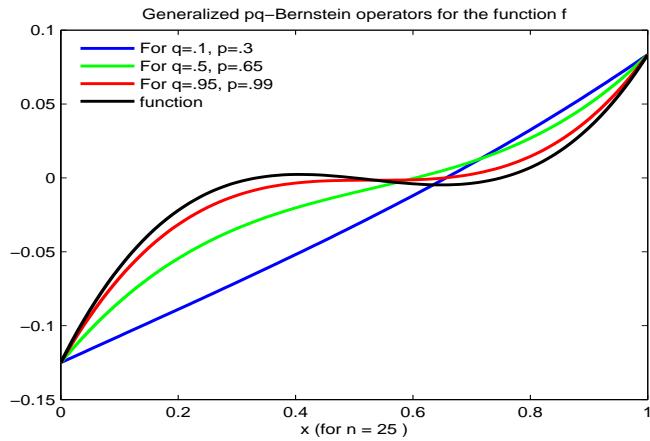


Figure 3:

In comparison to figure 2, as the value the  $n$  increases, operators given by (2) converge towards the function which is shown in figure 3. Also, from figure 2, it can be observed that as the value of  $p, q$  approaches towards 1 provided  $0 < q < p \leq 1$ , operators converge towards the function.

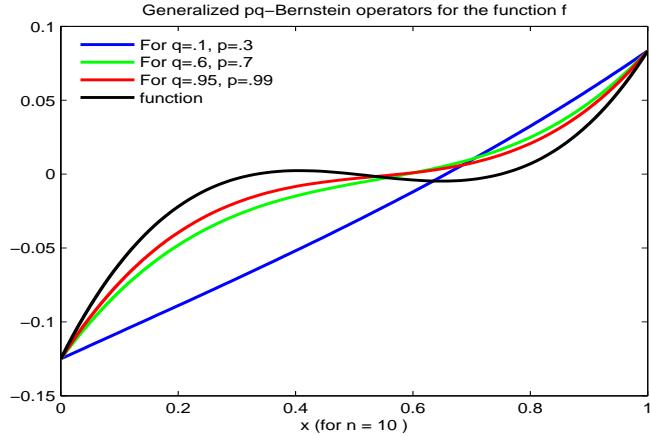


Figure 4:

Similarly for different values of parameters  $p, q$  and  $n$  convergence of operators to the function is shown in figure 4 and figure 5.

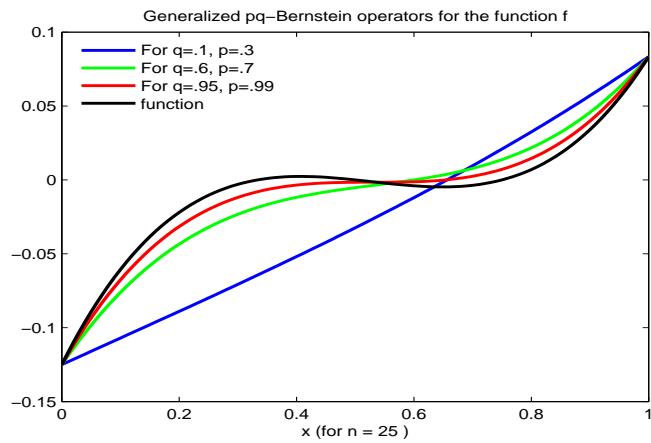


Figure 5:

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